

## LIFE IN THE METROPOLIS.

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY THE  
AUX'S REPORTERS.

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Charles N. Taintor presiding. Resolutions drafted by Charles N. Taintor, for sending the Administration of President Arthur a letter of protest, were adopted. Charles N. Taintor addressed the meeting, detailing the proceedings of the Republican State Convention. A resolution was introduced by Charles N. Taintor endorsing the nominations of the Republican State Convention. Afterward Charles N. Taintor said that he desired to speak about the efforts made by the Hartford State Convention. He said he wanted to make a reorganization and reintroduction of Republicanism in the State. He said that he had introduced the Hartford Address as recent Republicanism, and he considered that such an outrage on justice and the rights of the people. He said that he had introduced resolutions defining the State's organizations to be the National Republican organization, after which Charles N. Taintor declared the meeting adjourned.

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Resolutions advocating the constitutional amendment relative to free canals were adopted. Mr. J. H. Phillips, Treasurer of the fair, for the erection of a monument to Washington in Westport, reported that Ward, the contractor, could be procured at a next meeting to present a model of the statue. Mr. Fred W. Collins, of the committee appointed to attend the funeral of the late President, reported that he had received from the committee and delivered a message from President Arthur assuring the "Chamber of Commerce of his appreciation of the services rendered by the fair and that it was adopted by the Chamber.

**Determined to Keep Pickets Out.**

Clergymakers and packers representing forty churches met last evening at 203 Bowery, and de-

ending that they had been driven away yesterday and yesterday succeeding the strike of the cigar packers at Cigar & Co.'s factory on Saturday. The meeting also decided that upon the arrest of their pickets others would immediately take their places. It was said that the committee had decided that men have a right to watch a picket line and peacefully endeavor to prevent workmen from leaving for employment. Superintendent Walling will be called upon to-day and his opinion requested.

**Another Fire in the Big Brewery.**

At about 6 A. M. yesterday flames burst from the windows of the fourth story on the Eleventh street side of the big industrial brewery, which has an area of 100,000 sq. ft. The fire was caused by a gas leak, and was destroyed by fire on Wednesday. Before eight engines, summoned by the two alarms could get to the place, the main building, which was a four-story structure, had been destroyed. The fire was caused by a gas leak, and was destroyed by fire on Wednesday. Before eight engines, summoned by the two alarms could get to the place, the main building, which was a four-story structure, had been destroyed. The fire was caused by a gas leak, and was destroyed by fire on Wednesday. Before eight engines, summoned by the two alarms could get to the place, the main building, which was a four-story structure, had been destroyed.

**The Delegate from Troy.**

The man who says that he is George Becker, an Troy, and who says that he is a delegate to the Republican State Convention, slept all night in a back room of the hotel, and was not seen until he was found by the police. He was found by the police, and was not seen until he was found by the police. He was found by the police, and was not seen until he was found by the police. He was found by the police, and was not seen until he was found by the police.

**The Signal Office Prediction.**

**LOSSES BY FIRE.**

The pottery of Dixon & Young, St. Louis, was burned Wednesday night. Loss, \$90,000; insured.

Truman, Pease & Hale's store at New Vienna, Ohio, is burned yesterday. Loss, \$40,000; insurance, \$20,000.

A fire at Pulaski, N. Y., early yesterday, burned out

centre block, consisting of fifteen homes, in a suburb  
M'ntreal was destroyed by fire yesterday. Twenty-  
one mechanics and laborers, with their families, are  
ordered homeless. Loss, \$10,000; insurance, \$3,000.

**SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH.**

An earthquake shock was felt at Bristol, N. H., a little  
after midnight of Wednesday.

The pastors of the Washington churches will pay their  
tribute to President Arthur to-day in a body.

Minister M'urphy reports that the French harvest will be  
inferior to that of last year, but will be in advance of  
the average of 1877, 1878 and 1879.

The first of a line of steamers from Wilmington, N. C.,  
disappeared yesterday with \$200,000 worth of cot-

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John A. Dupont, master of the steamer Breakwater, ran into the steamer St. Johns last summer, was fined by the local steamboat inspectors at New York. Dupont appealed to the Secretary of the Treasury, insisting that the fine was unjust. Acting Secretary Arch to-day decided that local steamboat inspectors have no authority to impose fines, that their duty is the out of misconduct, negligence, or incompetency is sufficient to revoke or suspend license.